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In response to ref a and as previously indicated in ref b, the GOTG advises that the Secretary of State (Minister) of Trade, Industry and Employment, Abdou Colley, will head the GOTG delegation to the AGOA Forum. We are told that, while the full composition of the Gambian delegation has yet to be determined, it will include sub-cabinet officials at Trade, Finance and Economic Affairs, and Foreign Affairs, along with representatives from the private sector and parastatal trade promotion organizations.

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